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SUBJECT HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE:
DISAPPEARANCE OF ALCIRA GRACIELA FIDALGO (504/78/8)

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1. DEAR SENATOR CHURCH:
THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS RECENTLY INFORMED US
THAT THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT HAS NO RECORD OF
THE DETENTION OF ALCIRA GRACIELA FIDALGO, NOR
ANY INFORMATION REGARDING HER WHEREABOUTS.
SEVERAL OF YOUR FELLOW SENATORS HAVE EXPRESSED
CONCERN IN THIS CASE.

2. WE HAVE COMMUNICATED THE US CONGRESSIONAL
INTEREST IN THIS MATTER TO THE FOREIGN OFFICE.
IT IS UNFORTUNATE THAT WE HAVE NOT RECEIVE ANY
INFORMATION REGARDING MS. FIDALGO.
WE WILL OF COURSE, CONTINUE TO KEEP YOU INFORMED
OF ANY FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

3. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.
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